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In Re Application of:

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	PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER
Trar	asmitted herewith for filing, please find:
$\boxtimes$	A Continuation Application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b).
The	above-identified application includes the following:
	A Request for Nonpublication
	A Specification including claims and abstract on pages 1 to .
$\boxtimes$	A copy of the specification including claims and abstract (pages 1-28) and drawings and appendixes (if any) of earlier Application No. 09/729,509 filed December 4, 2000, to which no new matter has been added. Such earlier application is hereby incorporated into the present application by reference.
$\boxtimes$	A New Unexecuted Declaration or Oath and Power of Attorney.
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		An Associate Power of Attorney executed by who is listed in the copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney filed herewith.						
		A Copy of the Power of Attorney with Revocation filed in prior Application No.						
		Signed Statement deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application.						
	This a	s application claims foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of Application Nefiled in (Country).						
		A Certified Copy of each of the above applications for which priority is claimed:						
		is enclosed.						
		has been filed in prior Application No. filed .						
$\boxtimes$	Two Sheets of Formal Drawings and/or Photographs.							
	$\boxtimes$	Figure 2 should be published.						
		Petition to Accept Color Photographs is enclosed.						
		continuation/divisional application is assigned of record to as evidenced assignment recorded on at Reel No. and Frame No						
	A newly Executed Assignment transferring rights to .							
		A Recordation Form Cover Sheet.						
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$\boxtimes$	A Pre	Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.						
	A Sequence Listing consisting of pages 1-							
		Diskette containing Sequence Listing is enclosed.						
		The computer readable form in the above-identified application is identical with that filed in Application Number , filed . In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(e), please use the sequence listing filed on an arreceived by the PTO on as the computer readable form filed in the application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application.						
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	is included herewith in a separately filed preliminary amendment for incorporation into the specification.									
	A Statement to Support Submission of Sequence Information is enclosed.									
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	Form 1449.									
	Copies of References - listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.									
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